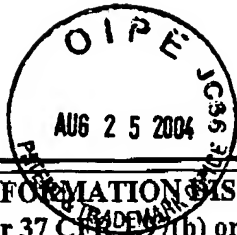


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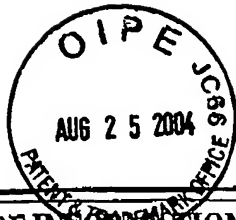
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Applicants respectfully direct the attention of the Examiner to art cited with respect to U.S. Application No. 10/804,560, which is a continuation-in-part under 35 U.S.C. §111(a) of PCT Application No. PCT/IL03/00736, which is a continuation-in-part under 35 U.S.C. §111(a) of U.S. Application No. 10/237,263, which is a continuation-in-part under 35 U.S.C. §111(a) of PCT Application No. PCT/IL00/00566. This application is also a continuation-in-part under 35 U.S.C. §111(a) of PCT Application No. PCT/IL00/00132, now U.S. Application No. 09/914,889. This application claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/123,532 and U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/488,964.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to review and consider this art, in accordance with MPEP §2001.06, MPEP §1893.03(e) and MPEP §1893.03(g) and to indicate in the first office action that he has considered this art. Additionally, the Examiner is respectfully requested to cite those prior art publications mentioned in this application which the Examiner considers to be material or relevant to the present claims.

Further, in order to comply with discretionary regulations 37 C.F.R. §1.97 and §1.98, attached is an Equivalent to Form PTO-1449 listing the cited art. This art contains information which the Examiner may consider to be important in deciding whether to allow the present application to issue as a patent.

Applicants wish to point out that items 1-5 were cited in the parent U.S. Application No. 10/237,263. Copies of these items are not attached as they are available in the parent case.

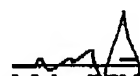
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Early and favorable consideration is earnestly solicited.

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